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Dear Lawrence:

We are writing this letter to you as a follow up to our September 3rd meeting. At that meeting we'd hoped to receive a much more thorough presentation from the Administration regarding two areas - the status of critical health care and human services related IT projects, and the status of critical path items related to implementation of Act 48. Reports in standing committees in both regards were well-prepared and in writing. We hope you will respond to this letter in such a fashion by the end of the week.

Health care and human services IT projects

We would like the following information about Integrated Eligibility, MMIS, Vermont Health Connect, and the Health Information Exchange

- 1. Original projected completion date
- 2. Current projected completion date
- 3. Original project budget
- 4. Current project budget
- 5. Original contribution to project expected to come from state funds
- 6. Current contribution to project expected to come from state funds
- 7. Any substantive changes in how the product will perform for Vermont (more or fewer functions, serving more or fewer populations, etc)
- 8. Current Administration view of how the project relates to a statewide unified, universal health care system.

Implementation of Act 48

Robin Lunge had presented, in April, a critical path graph of all the key steps the Administration is working on to implement Act 48. We would like an updated version of that, with notes discussing any changes from previous plans including changes in timing.

Sincerely,

Representative Ancel and Senator Ashe

Co-Chairs, Health Reform Oversight Committee